

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Hiroshi MIURA, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/554,921

GROUP ART UNIT: 1615

FILED: October 31, 2005

EXAMINER: PALENIK, JEFFREY T.

FOR: COMPOSITION CONTAINING MEDICINE EXTREMELY SLIGHTLY  
SOLUBLE IN WATER BEING EXCELLENT IN ELUTING PROPERTY AND  
METHOD FOR PREPARATION THEREOF

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

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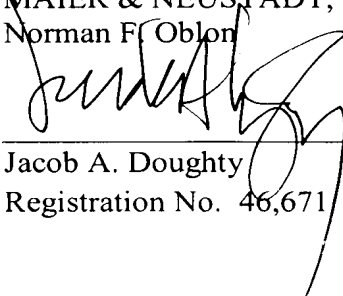
It is hereby requested that a two month extension of time be granted to January 17, 2010 for:

- ☒ filing a response to the **Request for Information** in the Official Action dated: September 17, 2009.
- ☐ responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
- ☐ filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due                      has been timely filed.
- ☐ responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
- ☐ filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due                      has been filed.
- ☐ filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

The required fee of \$490.00 is being made by credit card payment online (if electronically filed), or is attached hereto (if paper filed), and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030.

Respectfully Submitted,

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